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AMCONSUL SALVADOR

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SUBJECT: US CHEMICAL AND PETRO CHEMICAL PROCESSING EQUIPMENT

TRADE MISSION APRIL 3-15, 1975

REF: (A) STATE 036432; (B) SAO PAULO 0395

1. AS HAS BEEN THE CASE WITH PREVIOUS TRADE MISSIONS,  
CONSULATE GENERAL RIO WILL BE TRANSLATING AND PRINTING  
TRADE MISSION BROCHURE. CONSEQUENTLY, ADVANCE MAN  
SHOULD SCHEDULE FIRST WORKING DAY IN RIO, BEFORE  
PROCEEDING TO SALVADOR.

2. AMCONSUL SALVADOR STAFFED BY AMERICAN CONSUL WITH  
LIMITED COMMERCIAL EXPERIENCE AND BY RECENTLY-HIRED LOCAL  
COMMERCIAL SPECIALIST. EXPERIENCE WITH TEXTILE MACHINERY  
TRADE MISSION TO RECIFE LAST JUNE INDICATES THAT CLOSE  
MISSION SUPPORT BY RIO IS HIGHLY ADVISABLE. RIO COMMERCIAL  
OFFICER SHOULD ACCOMPANY ADVANCE MAN TO SALVADOR AND RETURN  
FOR SEVERAL DAYS JUST PRIOR TO MISSION VISIT, REMAINING  
DURING VISIT. REQUEST THAT COMMERCE AUTHORIZE TRAVEL AND  
PER DIEM FOR THESE TWO VISITS BY RIO COMMERCIAL OFFICER.

3. CONSULATE GENERAL OFFICERS HAVE CALLED ON PETROQUISA  
S.A., PETROBRAS CHEMICAL SUBSIDIARY, LOCATED IN RIO, TO  
DISCUSS MISSION VISIT AND SOLICIT ADVICE REGARDING ITINERARY.  
OTTO PERRONI, PETROQUISA DIRECTOR, SAID MISSION WILL BE  
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MOST WELCOME TO BRAZIL AND COMES AT OPPORTUNE TIME. PERRONI

STATED FURTHER THAT HE AND OTHER PETROQUISA DIRECTORS, INCLUDING FERDINANDO SANDRONE, DIRECTOR FOR ENGINEERING AND PURCHASING, WILL TRAVEL TO ACCOMPANY MISSION MEMBERS ON TOUR OF PETROQUISA FACILITIES AT CAMARACI AND ARATU. CONGEN RIO WILL COORDINATE THIS PART OF MISSION ACTIVITY WITH SALVADOR.

4. REQUEST COMMERCE URGENT REPLY REGARDING VISIT ADVANCE MAN TO RIO IN ORDER BOOK HOTEL RESERVATIONS.

5. REQUEST AMCONSUL SAO PAULO FORWARD MATERIAL FOR MISSION BROCHURE MENTIONED PARAGRAPHS 5 AND 6 REFTEL A TO RIO AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

6. CABLE ON BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR RIO-SALVADOR FOLLOWS SHORTLY.

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